use of the time of one hour that is allowed to us. If you will kindly hold your patience, we know how to get our answers. We will take such action and method as we deem expedient.

Mr. C. A. Ouseph.—Was this predominance due to want of hands ?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar.—I don't understand that question.

Mr. C. A. Ouseph.—Was this predominance due to want of hands in other communities ?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar.—Not that I think of. Not due to want of efforts on the part of the Government.

Mr. C. A. Ouseph.—May I know what efforts have been made to lessen the predominance of the caste Hindus in the Huzur?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar.—We use to give preference to applicants from other communities, whenever possible.

286. Mr. C A. Ouseph.—Will the Government be pleased to place a statement on the table showing.—

(a) the personnel of the Huzur staff with the official designation and salary of each officer as on the last day on which Mr. P. Damodara Menon was the Secretary to the Government. (Peons and menial servants are not intended to be included in 'staff');

(b) the personnel of the Huzur staff with the official designation and salary of each officer as on the 20th Thulam 1102 ?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar.—(a) & (b). The statements furnishing the information are placed on the table. (*Vide Appendix IV.*)

The work of the Chief Superintendent, Huzur Office.

287. Mr. C. A. Ouseph.—Will the Government be pleased to state whether, after the appointment of Mr. Sesha Ayyar as Chief Superintendent of the Huzur, the present Secretary has issued orders enlarging or in any way affecting the powers, function or work of the Chief Superintendent; if so, will the Government kindly place copies of such orders on the table?

Mr. A. K. Vengu Ayyar.—The Secretary to the Diwan has no authority to issue such orders in his own right. Copy of an order issued in the matter is placed on the table. (*Vide Appendix V.*)

Mr. C. A. Ouseph.—May I know what necessitated the order in Appendix V? "The Chief Superintendent of the Huzur Secretariat will, hereafter, be in charge of the stables and its drawing officer".

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APPENDIX IV.

(Vide Answer to Question No. 286).

Huzur establishment as on the last day on which Mr. P. Damodara Menon was Secretary to the Diwan.

No.	Name of officers	Designation	Pay on 31-10-1101
1	P. Damodara Menon	Secretary to the Diwan	300—550
2	K. A. Sankara Menon	Chief Superintendent	125—150
3	A. R. Mahadeva Ayyar	Head Clerk	120
4	C. P. Achyuta Menon	do	120
5	N. Madhava Menon	do	100
6	K. L. Subrahmanya Ayyar	do	85
7	G. Krishna Ayyar	Clerk	75
8	K. C. Peter	do	70
9	V. C. Krishna Menon	do	70
10	K. Parameswara Menon	do	60
11	P. V. Raphael	do	60
12	M. Achyuta Menon	do	60
13	V. Sangameswara Ayyar	do	50
14	T. V. Rama Ayyar	do	50
15	V. Krishna Menon	do	50
16	I. Madhava Panikkar	do	50
17	V. N. Madhava Panikkar	do	40
18	K. NarayanaMenon	do	40
19	T. A. Parameswara Ayyar	do	40
20	P. V. Sreenivasa Ayyar	do	40
21	A. R. Subrahmanya Ayyar	do	40
22	P. Gopala Menon	do	40
23	V. Kunjukrishnan	do	40
24	V. G. Narayana Ayyar	do	40
25	T. Ramankutti Menon	Malayalam Translator	50—75 & Rs. 15 duty allowance
	Lower Division.		
26	V. N. Shenoi	Clerk	50—65
27	K. Sivaramakrishna Ayyar	do	do & Rs. 10 duty allowance
28	K. Krishna Menon	do	25—50
29	M. C. Tambuswami Pillai	do	do
30	P. R. Vaidyanatha Ayyar	do	do
31	M. Govinda Panikkar	do	do
	Typists.		
32	C. Kesava Panikkar	Head Typist	20—45 & Rs. 10 supervision allowance
33	N. K. Swaminatha Ayyar	Typist	20—45
34	S. Sankara Ayyar	do	do
35	K. G. Xavier	do	do
36	M. Gopala Menon	do	do

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No.	Name of officers	Designation	Pay on 31-10-1101
37	A. S. Venkitachala Ayyar	Record-keeper	45—65 & Rs. 10 duty allowance
38	M. Kochunni Menon	Clerk	35—40
39	K. Kuttappa Menon	do	25—30
40	P. V. Sreenivasa Ayyar	Confidential Clerk	75—100 & Rs. 5 Cycle allowance
41	T. I. Chummar	Cranganur Clerk	50

Huzur staff as on 20th Thulam 1102.

No.	Name of officers	Designation	Pay	Remarks
1	A. K. Vengu Ayyar	Secretary to the Diwan	300—550	
2	T. S. Sesha Ayyar	Chief Superintendent	125—150	
3	C. P. Achyuta Menon	Head clerk	120	
4	N. Madhava Menon	do	120	
5	G. Krishna Ayyar	do	100	
6	K. L. Subrahmanya Ayyar	do	85	
7	K. C. Peter	Clerk	75	
8	V. C. Krishna Menon	do	70	
9	K. Parameswara Menon	do	70	
10	P. V. Raphael	do	60	
11	M. Achyuta Menon	do	60	
12	V. Sangameswara Ayyar	do	60	
13	T. V. Rama Ayyar	do	50	
14	V. Krishna Menon	do	50	
15	I. Madhava Panikkar	do	50	
16	V. N. Madhava Panikkar	do	50	
17	K. Narayana Menon	do	40	
18	T. A. Parameswara Ayyar	do	40	
19	P. V. Sreenivasa Ayyar	do	40	
20	A. R. Subrahmanya Ayyar	do	40	
21	P. Gopala Menon	do	40	
22	V. Kunjikrishnan	do	40	
23	C. Raghava Kaimal	do	40	
24	V. G. Narayana Ayyar	do	40	
25	T. Ramankutti Menon	Malayalam Translator	50—75 plus Rs. 15 duty allowance	
	Lower Division.			
26	V. N. Shenoi	Clerk	50—65	
27	K. Sivaramakrishna Ayyar	do	50—65 plus Rs. 10 duty allowance	
28	K. Krishna Menon	do	25—50	
29	M. C. Thambuswami Pillai	do	25—50	
30	P. R. Vaidyanatha Ayyar	do	25—50	
31	M. Govinda Panikkar	do	25—50	

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	Typists.			
32	C. Kesava Panikkar	...	Head Typist	20—45 plus Rs. 10 supervision allowance
33	N. K. Swaminatha Ayyar	...	Typist	20—45
34	S. Sankara Ayyar	..	do	20—45
35	K. G. Xavier	...	do	20—45
36	M. Gopala Menon	...	do	20—45
37	A. S. Venkitachala Ayyar	...	Record-keeper	45—65 plus Rs. 10 duty allowance
38	M. Kochunni Menon	..	Clerk	35—40
39	K. Kuttappa Menon	...	do	25—30
40	P. V. Sreenivasa Ayyar	...	Confidential clerk	75—100 plus Rs. 5 cycle allowance
41	T. I. Chummar	...	Cranganur clerk	50

APPENDIX V.

(Vide Answer to Question No. 287.)

Proceedings of the Diwan of Cochin.

LOCAL AND MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENT.

(Miscellaneous.)

Order dated 20th October 1926, Dis. No. 61/R/1102.

The Chief Superintendent of the Huzur Secretariat will hereafter be in charge of the stables and its Drawing Officer.

(True extract)

A. K. VENGU AYYAR,
Secretary to the Diwan.

The Superintendent of Stamps,
The Chief Superintendent,
The Comptroller of Accounts.

APPENDIX VI.

(Vide Answer to Question No. 292.)

Proceedings of the Diwan of Cochin.

JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Read again Diwan's Proceedings C. No. 1253/98, dated 1st September 1923 (Judicial Department).

Read also correspondence ending with the Sarvadhikariakar's communication A. No. 1516/1101, dated 14th August 1926.

Order C. No. 2143/1101, dated 17th August 1926.

The scale of pay Rs. 150-10-250 of the Chief Court Registrar will be revised and fixed at Rs. 150-15-300 with effect from 1st Chingam 1102.

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